AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1.   (Currently Amended) A method of presenting channel content in a distributed network having a client device and a server device, the method comprising:

evaluating tagged content;

creating a personalized channel at the client device, <u>wherein creating the personalized channel comprises implementing a user profile comprising user selected criteria, and</u> wherein the personalized channel comprises content from two or more predetermined channels; and

displaying the content on the personalized channel.

2.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ <u>The method of Claim</u> 1<u>,</u> wherein the tagged content is received from the server device and wherein the method further comprises:

parsing the tagged content to evaluate the tags; and

wherein the act of creating a personalized channel comprises repackaging content into the personalized channel.

3.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ <u>The method of Claim</u> 1<u>,</u> wherein the tagged content is received from the server device and wherein the method further comprises:

parsing the tagged content to evaluate the tags; and

wherein the act of creating a personalized channel comprises automatically

redirecting selected content to the user.

4.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim

1, wherein the personalized channel is automatically created through use of [[a]] the

user profile, wherein the user profile [[is]] comprises a stored data structure identifying

user preferences and wherein the evaluating act compares incoming tag information

with the profile to determine which content to add to the new channel.

5.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim

4, wherein the user profile further comprises exclusion information and wherein content

is not added to the personalized channel when tag information associated with the

content matches exclusion information in the user profile.

6.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim

4, wherein the preference information comprises preferences as to the type of content

and the rating of the content.

7.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim

4, further comprising manually creating the user profile.

8.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim 4, further comprising automatically creating the <u>user</u> profile based on historical information.

9.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim 8, further comprising automatically updating the <u>user</u> profile based on updated historical information.

10.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim 1, wherein the personalized channel is manually created and updated.

11.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim 1, further comprising creating a second personalized channel, the second personalized channel comprising content from two or more predetermined channels, wherein second channel comprises at least some content not in the first personalized content.

12.   (Currently Amended) ~~A method as defined in claim~~ The method of Claim 11, further comprising:

accessing the first personalized channel using a first access code; and

accessing the second personalized channel using a second access code, the second access code being different from the first access code.

13.   (Original) A computer readable product readable by a computing system and encoding a computer program of instructions for executing a computer process comprising the acts defined in claim 1.

14.   (Original) A computer readable product readable by a computing system and encoding a computer program of instructions for executing a computer process comprising the acts defined in claim 9.

15.   (Original) A computer readable product readable by a computing system and encoding a computer program of instructions for executing a computer process comprising the acts defined in claim 10.

16.   (Original) A computer readable product readable by a computing system and encoding a computer program of instructions for executing a computer process comprising the acts defined in claim 11.

17.   (Original) A computer readable product readable by a computing system and encoding a computer program of instructions for executing a computer process comprising the acts defined in claim 12.

18.   (Currently Amended) A method of displaying a programming guide of channel content in a distributed network having a client device and a server device, the method comprising:

receiving tag information prior to receiving associated content;

evaluating tag information, wherein evaluating tag information comprises implementing a user profile comprising based on a stored profile of preferences, wherein the stored profile of preferences comprises user selected criteria; and

displaying a personalized programming guide at the client device, wherein the personalized programming guide displays a preferred subset of available content.

19.   (Currently Amended) A method as defined in claim The method of Claim 18, wherein the preferred subset matches is based on the user profile preferences.

20.   (Currently Amended) A method as defined in claim The method of Claim 18, wherein the personalized programming guide blocks content tags associated with content to be excluded, as identified in the user profile.

21.   (Currently Amended) A method as defined in claim The method of Claim 18, wherein the personalized programming guide displays one or more at least one personalized channels channel.

22.   (Currently Amended) A method as defined in claim The method of Claim 21, wherein the programming guide scrolls through the predetermined channels, wherein the method further comprises continuously displaying the one or more at least one personalized channels channel.

23.	(Original) A computer readable product readable by a computing system and encoding a computer program of instructions for executing a computer process comprising the acts defined in claim 18.

24.	(Original) A computer readable product readable by a computing system and encoding a computer program of instructions for executing a computer process comprising the acts defined in claim 22.

25.	(Currently Amended) A system for displaying personalized channel information comprising:

a receive module that receives tag information, wherein the tag information is associated with content that may be viewed by a user of the system;

an analysis module that analyzes the tag information and modifies the display of the tag information, the analysis module being configured to implement a user profile comprising user selected criteria; and

a display module for displaying the modified tag information.

26.	(Currently Amended) A system as defined in claim The system of Claim 25, wherein the modified tag information displayed is an abbreviated programming guide.

27.	(Currently Amended) A system as defined in claim The system of Claim 26, wherein the abbreviated programming guide displays personalized channel data.

28.   (Currently Amended)   ~~A system as defined in claim~~ The system of Claim 27, further comprising a user input/output module that receives personalized channel content selections to be added to the personalized channel, wherein the analysis module adds the selected content to the personalized channel.

29.   (Currently Amended)   ~~A system as defined in claim~~ The system of Claim 27, further comprising a profile interface module that accesses [[a]] the user profile and provides tag information to the analysis module, the analysis module uses the profile tag information in selecting content to add to the personalized channel.

30.   (Currently Amended)   ~~A system as defined in claim~~ The system of Claim 25, wherein the modified tag information comprises a personalized channel of content.

31.   (Currently Amended)   ~~A system as defined in claim~~ The system of Claim 30, further comprising

a user input/output module that receives personalized channel content selections to be added to the personalized channel, wherein the analysis module adds the selected content to the personalized channel.

32.   (Currently Amended) ~~A system as defined in claim~~ The system of Claim 30, further comprising

a profile interface module that accesses [[a]] the user profile and provides tag information to the analysis module, the analysis module uses the profile tag information in selecting content to add to the personalized channel.